

Sierra Club - John Muir Chapter

Legislative Bills/Resolutions

January 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 8

Relating to: the authority of a state agency to promulgate rules interpreting the provisions of a statute enforced or administered by the agency and to implement or enforce any standard, requirement, or threshold as a term or condition of a license issued ...



Against

Original Reporting Date: 1/20/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 21

January 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 9

Relating to: requirements for wind energy systems, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 1/27/2011

Bill Text and History

January 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 10

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Bill Text and History

January 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 11

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2011 Wisconsin Act 10

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2011 Wisconsin Act 6

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Against

Original Reporting Date: 2/18/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 23

Relating to: disinfection of municipal water supplies.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 4/20/2011

Bill Text and History

2011 Wisconsin Act 19

Assembly Bill 36

Relating to: eliminating authorization to create a regional transit authority, dissolving any existing regional transit authority and the Southeastern Regional Transit Authority, and eliminating the Southeast Wisconsin transit capital assistance program.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 3/19/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 72

Relating to: wind energy system rules.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 7/19/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 114

Relating to: eligibility of hydroelectric resources under the renewable portfolio standard.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 5/7/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 145

Relating to: authorizing the Public Service Commission to approve temporary electric rates to promote economic development.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 7/19/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 146

Relating to: use of renewable resource credits to comply with renewable portfolio standards.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 5/24/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 159

Relating to: the regulation of indirect sources of air pollution and the suspension of a rule promulgated by the Department of Natural Resources.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 2/8/2012



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 165

Relating to: the display of turf fertilizer containing phosphorus.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 7/19/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 177

Relating to: procedures for applications and hearings relating to permits and contracts for structures, deposits, and other activities in or near navigable waters.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 7/19/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 195

Relating to: the regulation of emissions of hazardous air contaminants associated with agricultural waste and the partial suspension of rules promulgated by the Department of Natural Resources.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 2/8/2012



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 204

Relating to: prohibiting the installation, sale, and distribution of wheel weights and other wheel balancing products that contain lead.

**For**

Original Reporting Date: 8/10/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 278

Relating to: a sales and use tax exemption for extended-range electric vehicles; a property tax exemption for tangible personal property used to recharge electric vehicles; the motor vehicle emission inspection and maintenance program and payments to the W...

**Other**

Original Reporting Date: 12/16/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 303

Relating to: comprehensive planning and making an appropriation.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 11/23/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 421

Relating to: the issuance of, and exemptions from, certain individual permits, contracts, and general permits for structures, deposits, and other activities in or near navigable waters; areas of significant scientific value that are areas of special natura...

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 12/23/2011



Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 426

Relating to: regulation of ferrous metallic mining and related activities, making an appropriation, and providing penalties.

**Against**

Original Reporting Date: 12/23/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 463

Relating to: permits for discharges into wetlands; wetland mitigation; wetland mapping and delineation; fees for permits and other authorizations or determinations by the Department of Natural Resources relating to structures, deposits, and other activities...

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 1/11/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 565

Relating to: spending by certain electric and natural gas public utilities on energy efficiency, conservation, and renewable resource programs.

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 2/17/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 710

Relating to: sales and use tax exemption for energy-efficient products purchased in conjunction with Earth Day.

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 3/20/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 25

Relating to: eliminating authorization to create a regional transit authority, dissolving any existing regional transit authority and the Southeastern Regional Transit Authority, and eliminating the Southeast Wisconsin transit capital assistance program.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 3/1/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 26

Relating to: bonding authority for major interstate bridge projects.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 5/24/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 30](#)

Senate Bill 50

Relating to: wind energy system rules.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 7/19/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 81

Relating to: eligibility of hydroelectric resources under the renewable portfolio standard.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 5/7/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 34](#)

Senate Bill 111

Relating to: the regulation of indirect sources of air pollution and the suspension of a rule promulgated by the Department of Natural Resources.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 2/8/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 121](#)

Senate Bill 119

Relating to: the appointment and term of service of the secretary of natural resources and vacancies on the Natural Resources Board.

 **For**

Original Reporting Date: 1/21/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 133

Relating to: procedures for applications and hearings relating to permits and contracts for structures, deposits, and other activities in or near navigable waters.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 7/19/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 138

Relating to: the regulation of emissions of hazardous air contaminants associated with agricultural waste and the partial suspension of rules promulgated by the Department of Natural Resources.

 **Against**

Original Reporting Date: 8/3/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 [2011 Wisconsin Act 122](#)

Senate Bill 171

Relating to: exempting from income taxation certain employer-paid fringe benefits for mass transit expenses.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 9/20/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 263**

Relating to: setback requirements for wind energy systems and granting rule-making authority.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 11/15/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 326**

Relating to: the issuance of, and exemptions from, certain individual permits, contracts, and general permits for structures, deposits, and other activities in or near navigable waters; areas of significant scientific value that are areas of special natura...

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 12/23/2011[Bill Text and History](#)[2011 Wisconsin Act 167](#)**Senate Bill 368**

Relating to: permits for discharges into wetlands; wetland mitigation; wetland mapping and delineation; fees for permits and other authorizations or determinations by the Department of Natural Resources relating to structures, deposits, and other activitie...

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 1/11/2012[Bill Text and History](#)[2011 Wisconsin Act 118](#)**Senate Bill 405**

Relating to: listing frac sand mining as a conditional or prohibited use in certain types of zoning ordinances.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 1/28/2012[Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 406**

Relating to: notice requirements for zoning actions related to frac sand mining.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 1/28/2012[Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 411**

Relating to: hunting and trapping of wolves, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, extending the time limit for emergency rule procedures, and making an appropriation.

**Other****Original Reporting Date:** 3/20/2012[Bill Text and History](#)[2011 Wisconsin Act 169](#)**Senate Bill 425**

Relating to: loans and repayment assistance by a political subdivision for energy and water improvements to premises and collection of the debt by special charge.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 3/20/2012[Bill Text and History](#)[2011 Wisconsin Act 138](#)**Senate Bill 488**

Relating to: regulation of ferrous metallic mining and related activities, procedures for obtaining approvals from the Department of Natural Resources for the construction of utility facilities, making an appropriation, and providing penalties.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 2/17/2012[Bill Text and History](#)**September 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 24**

Relating to: the issuance of, and exemptions from, certain individual permits, contracts, and general permits for structures, deposits, and other activities in or near navigable waters; areas of significant scientific value that are areas of special natura...

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 10/21/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**September 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 24**

Relating to: the issuance of, and exemptions from, certain individual permits, contracts, and general permits for structures, deposits, and other activities in or near navigable waters; areas of significant scientific value that are areas of special natura...

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 10/21/2011[Bill Text and History](#)

Budget Bill Subjects

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Natural Resources: Departmentwide

Original Reporting Date: 3/19/2011

Comments 

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Transportation: Local Transportation Aid

Original Reporting Date: 3/19/2011

Comments 

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Transportation: Transportation Finance

Original Reporting Date: 3/19/2011

Comments 

Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings

Natural Resources

NR 115 – Wisconsin's Shoreland Management Program.

Register Number: 548 (9/1/2001)

Clearinghouse Rule: CR 05-058



For

Original Reporting Date: 8/3/2011

Natural Resources

NR 151, 153 and 155, relating to runoff management, targeted runoff management grant program, and urban nonpoint source water pollution abatement and storm water management grant program.

Register Number: 0 (1/1/1900)

Clearinghouse Rule: CR 09-112



For

Original Reporting Date: 8/3/2011

Natural Resources

Revises Chapters NR 404 and 484, relating to ambient air quality standards for sulfur dioxide and nitrogen dioxide.

Register Number: 661 (2/1/2011)



? Undisclosed

Original Reporting Date:
3/25/2011

Public Service Commission

PSC 128, wind siting rules.

Register Number: 647 (11/15/2009)

Clearinghouse Rule: CR 10-057



For

Original Reporting Date: 2/9/2011

Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
authorizing energy sales from 3rd party owned renewable energy systems to host customers in the form of power purchase agreements or clean energy contracts

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 7/21/2012

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
enacting requirements for net energy billing for renewables

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 7/21/2012

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
expanding state goals for renewable energy

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 7/21/2012

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
regulation of frac sand mining

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative Matter and Rule

Reporting Date: 7/21/2012

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
water quality and waste spreading regulations

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water quality and waste spending regulations.

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative matter and rule

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Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
LRB 0385 relating to motor vehicle emissions inspection program and incentives for electric vehicles

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 9/20/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
LRB 2323 relating to compensating communities for dry cask storage of radioactive waste.

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative Matter and Rule

Reporting Date: 9/20/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Relating to bottomlands leasing for offshore wind turbines

Action Intended To Affect: Both Legislative Matter and Rule

Reporting Date: 9/20/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Relating to tax relief for the purchase of energy star certified appliances.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 9/20/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

related to regulations for mining.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 5/19/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Supporting energy efficiency investments and goals

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 3/25/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to

Opposing modification of the moratorium on construction of new nuclear plants contained in Section 196.493, Wisc. Stats.

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011